

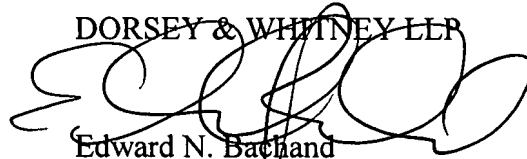
REMARKS

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, the amendment to Claim 5 has been corrected. Applicant believes that the claims are now correctly identified and that the pending claims are now in compliance with rule 37 CFR § 1.121(A)(1).

Applicant respectfully submit that the present application is now in condition for allowance. An early indication of the same is therefore respectfully requested. If any matters can be resolved by telephone, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned attorney at the telephone number listed below. No fees beyond those being submitted concurrently herewith are believed due.

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